

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE--EXAMINING GROUP 2821**

Attorney's Docket No. 9563-22

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Kristina Gold
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Filed: September 22, 2006
For: **RAISING ANTENNA EFFICIENCY FOR A PORTABLE COMMUNICATION
DEVICE**

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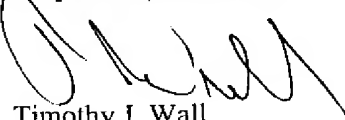
**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC § 134, 37 CFR § 41.31, and MPEP § 1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action dated March 9, 2009 finally rejecting Claims 9-20.

- ☒ The Director is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$540 for the Appeal fee as provided by 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1)
- ☐ Please first reapply any previously paid notice of appeal fee and appeal brief.
- ☐ Payment by credit card is requested. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) is enclosed.
- ☐ Also enclosed:
- ☒ The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

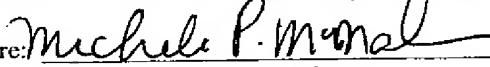
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